

Patuxent Research Refuge

Public Programs

November 2016



REGISTRATION

All programs are FREE, however, **ADVANCED REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!** Call **301-497-5887** to make your reservation. Donations to The Friends of Patuxent are greatly appreciated and assist with program needs! These public programs are designed for individuals and families. Programs may be subject to changes or cancellation due to weather or low participation.

Please notify the refuge of any special needs so that you may be accommodated. To view program listings online visit: <http://www.fws.gov/refuge/Patuxent/visit/PublicPrograms.html>.

Programs Held at the North Tract

The North Tract is located on Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32.

Bird Walk

Sunday, November 6th, 8:15-10:15am, All Ages

Search for birds in several refuge habitats on this guided hike. Field guides and binoculars are recommended. Registration is required.

Owl Prowl

Sunday, November 6th, 4:30-6:00pm, Ages 10+

Explore the refuge at night while looking and listening for owls. Registration is required.

Wood Ducks!

Sunday, November 13th, 1:00-2:30pm, Ages 5-7

Is that a duck, in a tree? Learn more about what makes these beautiful ducks special through crafts, stories and more! Registration is required.

Programs Held at the National Wildlife Visitor Center

The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 197.

Bird Walk

Wednesday, November 9th, 8:00-10:00am, Ages 14+

Sunday, November 13th, 8:00-10:00am, Ages 8+

Wednesday, November 23rd, 8:00-10:00am, Ages 14+

Search for birds in several refuge habitats on this guided hike. Field guides and binoculars recommended. Registration is required.

Leave it to Beavers

Wednesday, November 16th, 10:00-11:00am, Ages 5-7

Discover the clever techniques these cool and resourceful animals use to live in the wild in this hands-on program. Registration is required.

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Programs Held at the National Wildlife Visitor Center Cont...

Family Fun: Getting Ready for Winter

Friday, November 18th, 10:00am to 1:00pm and Saturday, November 19th, 10:00am to 1:00pm, Ages 3 to adult
Drop-in program: no registration required. Come any time and leave when you wish.

Winter weather is almost here! Come learn what the animals at Patuxent are doing to prepare for the cold. We'll have hands on games and activities for all ages.

Special: Raptors Reign

Saturday, November 26th, 1:00-3:00pm, All Ages

Join special guest and licensed falconer, Rodney Stotts, as he shares the power of nature through discussions and up close encounters with birds of prey.

No registration necessary.



Nature Tots: Gobble Gobble!

Tuesday, November 29th and Wednesday, November 30th, 10:30am-11:30am, Ages 3-4

Learn about November's famous bird in this interactive program with stories, songs and crafts! Registration is required.

Friends of Patuxent

Holiday Bazaar

National Wildlife Visitor Center

Saturday, November 5th, 2016

9:00am - 3:00pm

No Registration Necessary

Shop for wild and not-so-wild, new and gently-used treasures.

Find unique gifts and at the same time support the Patuxent Research Refuge and the Patuxent Wildlife Research Center. 301-497-5789; www.friendsofpatuxent.org

